# WITH THE FARMERS

By Prof. W. F. MASSEY

(Letters addressed to Professor Massey must have stamp inclosed for answer.)



are three feet apart, and beds made on this. These are slightly flattened, and to corn of an early bush-growing sort the plants set fifteen inches apart in the rows. Clean cultivation till the But, in the first place, break the land the plants of the pla the rows. Clean cultivation till the vines cover the ground, and laid by ome use heavier fertilizing, but that soil. They do not need heavy applica-tions of nitrogen, only a little nitrate to give them a start.

Tobacco Fertilizer.

You advise pure dried blood in your ula for a tobacco fertilizer. It is to get this where I live. Cannot which are not high enough in th bright tobacco. I have found best avoid an excess of phosphoric acid maintain the fertility of the soil, and have grown tobacco experimentally, the study of its plant food needs, on it. on some plots nitrogen alone, and

Wednesday, February 25, 19'4.

Sweet Pointoes.

"I want to know what fertilizer to use for sweet potators, when to put it in, and how much an acre." And you tell me nothing in egard to the character of your soil, nor its previous treatment. Hence, I can only say that here, on a sandy soil that is particularly suited to sweet potatoes, I will use 500 pounds of acid phosphate, fifty W. F. Massic. phosphate, fifty pleasing of sulphate of potash an acre. This will be put into the furrows that

that character than red or crimson clover. Then, after a year or two in clover, you can turn it under and plant

to corn again in the same way and thus maintain the fertility of the soil, and should get great crops of corn and oats on it.

Fertilizer for Corn.

"I want to make a mixture of acid phosphate, cottonseed meal and kainit to use? My idea is 500 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate, 800 pounds of cottonseed meal and 400 pounds of kainit I wish to use kalnit instead of potash it carries, and you could get as 1 have heard that it will prevent the root lice." Kainit is used for the potash it carries, and you could get as in 400 pounds of the muriate as in 400 pounds of the kainit. Kainit is the crude potash salt, and it does seem to have an effect in preventing the root lice. But if you are for make corn, you are growing corn in a very expensive way, it does not pay to buy nitrogen for corn when you can great an abundance by having a sedict."

To recon, and the disappearance of Villa, which has further complicated the situation.

A high official stated: "The whole that the the situation is the constitutions."

The whole with Mexico now is that the Carranza revolutionities, headed by Villa, cannot reach satisfactory terms with the British bankers."

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United States and Great Britain Said to Favor Formation of New Republic.

### REBELS MUST TAKE TORREON

Carranza Government Will Be Controlled by British Financiers.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch] Washington, February 24 .- Recogni-States as a separate republic has been

very probably acid Harrow in pounds of slaked lime an acre. Then cut the corn off at maturity and cure it in shocks, so as to clear the land, and if the peas have grown strongly, you can cut them for hay. Then disk the ground finely and sow to oats, and you should make a very good crop of oats, and can follow the oats with a load, and can follow the oats with a load, and can follow the oats with a load of the British embassy. Colvile Bartlay, called at the State Department

to obtain from Secretary Bryan what amounts to the safe conduct for British Consul Perceval, who will investigate first hand the circumstances of the killing. If it should become necessary for him to go into Mexico, he will have all the protection the State Department here can obtain for him, according to

Bryan's promise to the ambassa-Consul Letcher to-day reported his inability to locate Gustav Bauch in Chihuahua, although General Villa had ditional submarines.

Department's construction plans were changed so as to provide for six instead of eight destroyers, and four additional submarines.

been quoted as saying Bauch was transferred from Juarez to the Chihushua jati.

As Letcher's report did not say whether he had sought Bauch in jail, a supplemental instruction was directed to him to-day to send a list of all.

Americans under arrest in Chibushua had ditional submarines.

As reported to the House, the bill carries \$140,200,000, exclusive of amounts to be spent for armor and armament, and fixes the building program for the coming fiscal year as follows:

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was standing open, bearing evi- German Admiral Takes Issue boarding place. Later, and after the store building had burned to the ground, his charred remains was found

Baden Baden, Germany, February 24.

The controversy over friction between the American and German admirals in

the American and German admirals in Manila Bay at the time of the Spanish-American War, which has been revived by the recently published narrative of a statement to the Associated Press by Admiral Dewey, was made the subject of a statement to the Associated Press by Admiral von Diederichs, commander of the German warships.

James Krider and Deputy Frank Talbot, of Salisbury, were soon on the scene, and are using every effort to ferret out the mystery.

The American and German admirals in Mr Berthelet, as usual is to be congratuated upon his artistic settings, and Miss Scott is again to be congratuated upon having achieved a personal triumph in spite of Mr Warner's fee-bleness in the role opposite hers.

Douglas Gordon.

The Red Widow' To-Day.

The Channing Pollock-Reunold Wolf-Charles Gebest musical play. In his autobiography, and said he felt himself forced to give his side of the candemy to-day, mattnee and night.

Formal Approval Given After "Small Navy" Men Make Final Stand.

Washington, February 24.—Formal approval was given the administration's two battleship program by the House Naval Affairs Committee to-day, after "the small navy" men had made their final stand against it. The Navy

ed to him to-day to send a list of all Americans under arrest in Chimahua Secretary Bryan to-day intimated that he was considering the possibility of establishing a marine guard for the American legation at Mexico City.

Neuralgia Surrenters

To Anti Kawai To day to send a list of all speed and largest possible radius of action, to rank among the world's Dreadnoughts. \$7.800,000 each, exclusive of armor and armament. One powerful 1,200-ton, 21-knot, seagoing submarine, \$1,100,000.

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Three coast defense submarines of 500 tons each, \$620,000, designed for use on the Pacific Coast. Four harbor defense submarines of smaller type, \$375,000 each, intended for use on the Gulf Coast and at Pan-

The bill provides that the coast defense submarines shall be built and maintained on the Pacific Coast, If they can be built there as cheaply as

on the Atlantic Coast, "and laid down" on the Pacific Coast. The two battleship program was provided 14 to 4, Representatives Trib-ble (Georgia), Hensley (Missourt), Witherspoon (Mississippi) and Buchanan (Illinois) voting in the negative.

BUSINESS BLOCK THREATENED.

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Senutors Getting Analous.

In Senate circles the Benton incidnet was again a frequent subject of discussion, and it was asserted to-night by several Senators that the Senate would adopt a resolution calling on if it is withheld much longer. Such a resolution was not compled with last year by the Executive Department, on the Secretary of State for information if it is withheld much longer. Such as resolution was not compled with last year by the Executive Department, on the Secretary of State Bryan will appear.

STORE IS BURNED

TO HIDE MURDER

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Ell Paso February 24.—General Prancisca Villas statement of that Gustav Was not state of the report of Colonie Inchination of the state has been executed. If the had been released by the Mexicans has been executed. The had been released by the Mexicans problem and page 1.

Junes of the State has led to the belief of the had been released by the Mexican problem and the problem and the

With Statements in Autobiography.

effort to himself forced to give his side of the case out of consideration for the honor of his country and his officers. Adcase out of consideration to of his country and his officers. Admiral you Diederichs attributed the phone and otherwise, have joined in the man-hunt. An unsuccessful attributed the English papers in China, and the English papers in

subordinates He expressed regret that the Manila affair had been raked out of oblivion, hoping that the misunder-standings had been smoothed over. He and Admiral Dewey were friends, and had exchanged visits, letters and gifts.

### AMUSEMENTS.

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### DEMONSTRATION OF THE FAMOUS LA GRECQUE CORSETS

Mrs. Gamman, an expert demonstrator from the La Grecque Corset Salon, in New York, is with us this week, and will be glad to consult with you and answer any questions as to your Corset needs,

and it is this sense of charm that will be remembered by the greater part of the audience. But beneath this more infectious, if more superficial element, there lies a vein of scriousness, of womanliness, which makes Miss Scott's Babble much more than a light and frivolous creature of airy and tan-tailzing winsomeness, and which adds infinitely to the appealing quality of her performance.

character woman-she is that sort of

proper presentation. Most consulcuous among these, as played by this company, are Rob Dow (Mr. Bassett), Thomas Whammond (Mr. Berthelet), Sneeky Hobart (Mr. Newing), Captaln Halliwell (Mr. Anders), and Lord Rintoul (Mr. Thompson). These are capitally done, all of them, with Mr. Berthelet and Mr. Newing castly foremost, while Leona Ball as the boy Micah Dow gives the best performance of her season.

Secretary Bryan to-night did not know just when the body of Benton know just when the body of Benton know just when the body of Benton would be given up by Villa. All the information he had, he said, came in a telegram from Consular Agent George. C. Carothers, at Juarez, who said General Villa had telegram from Consular Agent George with the building is about \$1,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at the said, but the American admiral's fondness for Captain Children and unmarried. He is a son of Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the state of the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at Abustian in the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at the stock about \$3,000, all owned by Mr. Smithdeal, who lives at the stock about \$3,000, all owned the stock about

MAN KILLS ANOTHER'S WIFE.

Murder of Mrs. Lucy Mitchell Said to

Be Due to Jealousy.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Roancke, Va., February 24—Mrs.
Lucy Mitchell, wife of J. L. Mitchell of Norwich, a suburb of Roancke, was shot and killed to-night by Jacob Bishop. The shooting occurred in front of the Mitchell home, and for nearly four hours the body lay in the snow, until the county coroner turned it over to an undertaker. Bishop, who is a mill worker was arrested to-night, and is new in the Roancke city fail. He would make no statement when questioned concerning the tragedy. It is said that jealousy led up to the shooting. A coroner's inquest will be held to-morrow.

Twelve Injured in Wreck.

# AT CHARLESTON

Charleston, S. C. February 21.—Old Bencame home in front of Charlestonian and Indolence in a seven furiong handicap at Palmetto Park to-day. The talent favored Charlestonian because of his victory the hast time out, but he could not get to Old Ben when challenged Discovery fresh from two consecutive victories, made it three straight by beating Double Five and Mama Johnson in a six furiong event. Discovery took the lead at the fourth furiong pole, and was never in trouble.

L'Algion, after a long rest, won a distance race from Rod and Gun and Silicio.

Ash Wednesday Services, Wednesday services will be conducted Mark's Episcopal Church to-night at

United States Circuit Court of Appeals.
The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reconvened yesterday morning at it octock, with Circuit Judges Pritchard Knapp and Woods and District Judge Day

### CHARTERS ISSUED

mouth, Va.; W. J. Kemp, secretary, Norfolk Va. Federal Place Corporation, Richmond, Va \$1.000 to \$15.000. J W. Ferguson, president, South Fork, Va.; G. T. Sharp, secretary, Richmond, Va. outh. Va.; W. J. Kemp, secretary, Norfolk

South Fork, Va.; G. T. Sharp, secretary, Richmond, Vn.

Bisy Lumber Company, Incorporated, Norfolk, Va. \$500 to \$6,000 G. W. Butt, president; T. B. Wright, secretary, both of Norfolk, Va. 18,000 to \$7,000 Pete Geras, president; A. S. Yancey, secretary, both of Charlottesville, Va. 18,000 to \$7,000 Pete Geras, president; A. S. Yancey, secretary, both of Charlottesville, Va.

Heidelbach Lumber Company, Incorporated, Danville, Va. \$20,000 to \$50,000. F. S. Heidelbach, president; J. H. Winiker, secretary, both of Danville, Va.

Suffolk, Va. \$12,000 to \$50,000. W. S. Beaman, president; H. H. Holland vice-president; J. C. West, Jr., secretary and treasurer, all of Suffolk, Va.

Amendment to foreign charter—State of Pennsylvania; General Manufacturing Company, increasing capital stock from \$100,000 to \$250,000.

### MUST GRADE RIGHT OF WAY

Washington, February 24.—Railroads around which towns have been built may be required to lower and improve their grade to conform with grades throughout streets on which they run, according to a decision to day of the Supreme Court holding constitutional the crdinance of Goldsboro, N. C., which required the Atlantic Coast Line to grade its right of way so as to conform with the remainder of the street upon which the road runs through the city.

The North Carolina courts held that The North Carolina courts held that the railroad in accepting the charter knew that the country would develop and would have the right to regulate the grade. The Supreme Court found no error in this holding.

Entries for Balloon Race,

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New York, February 24.—Three entries from the Aero Club of France and one from the Aero Club of Belgium were received here by the Aero Club of America to-day for the international balloon race to start from Kansas City October 6 next, twelnding three entries from the Aero Club of Germany and the three which will represent the United States, there now are ten balloons listed for competition for the \$7.500 in prizes offered.

Aero clubs of fourteen countries are yet to be heard from.

# Again the Wonderful Powers Are Shown

Expelled, flend and all Complete, Qunker Did It.

Mr. Charles A. Felvey, Jr., aged 23 ears, who resides at 1525 North Twenty-third Street, Richmond, Va., employed as a fireman on C. & O. R. R., and would have terrible dreams, and such awful pains in the stomach. On

complete, without starvation or diet- when all others have failed. ing in the least, and the very first night The Health Teacher says this is only after the worm was expelled slept bet- one more of many thousands who are a tapeworm. He was restless at night, are all gone and he is feeling fine.

Fire Does \$500 Dumage to Long Department Store in Shenandoah. Shenandoah. Va., February 24.—Fire was discovered in the department store of E. S. Long, on Front Street, this morning at 8 o'clock by Dr. E. Y. Hudson, who turned in the alarm, and but for the prompt work of the volunteer company, under Captain Abe Huddle, the entire business block would have been destroyed.

The thermometer was near zero and water pluss had to be thawed out. After an hour's fight the fire was extingulshed. The loss on building and stock is about \$500.

by friends to try the Quaker Remedies. recommend to my fellow-man with all He did so, and in four days expelled my heart, and truly believe Quaker a tapeworm 60 feet long, head and all Herb Extract and Oil of Balm will cure

has been suffering for two years with feeling better in general. The pains living testimonials to tell the world a tapeworm. He was restless at night, are all gone and he is feeling fine. "I make this statement of my own with stemach trouble, catarrh in any finding out that he had a tapeworm, free will and accord, and feel that I am form, kidney, liver, bladder or blood went through a treatment at home, but indebted to the Quakers for what the trouble, indigestion, dyspepsia, constigot only a portion of it, and in a short Quaker Herb Extract has done for me, pation, to call and hear the people, see time it caused him the same trouble They are right when they say their the people who have used Quaker Herb again. Then he went and was treated remedies reach the cause of the trou- Extract and Oil of Bylm, the praises twice for it, each time in what was ble and relieve the system of it, for they have to offer. Cail to-day and considered the best hospital in the it has done it in my case, something obtain Quaker Herb Extract; full freat-State; but each time getting the same that I have been despondent over two ment, six bottles, \$5.00; now three for results, only expelling a portion of the years, and was about to give up my \$2.50 and \$1.00 for one bottle. Oil of worm. He then came from the hospital job, as I knew that I could not hold Baim, for all pain, 50c, or five for \$2.50. and worked for two weeks, then be- it in the condition I was in. I shall At Tragle's drug store, \$17 East Broad